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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Application No.: 09/615,871

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Title: A Model Display, Smooth Scroll  
Graphic User Interface and Remote Command  
Device....

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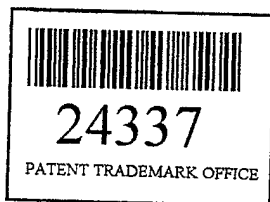
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☐ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed on July 13, 2000 as serial no. 09/615,871 and was amended on \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

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